(Ireland.)

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To amend the Law relating to Grand Juries in *Ireland*, so far as to empower the Grand Jury of the County of *Fermanagh* to reconstruct the Baronial Subdivisions of the said County.

Preamble.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the sixth and seventh year of his late Majesty, intituled, "An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to the Presentment of Public Money by Grand Juries in *Ireland*," a power was given to the Grand Jury of any county in *Ireland* to divide any barony or half barony into one or more subdivisions for the purpose of that Act, provided such barony or half barony did contain Forty-five thousand Acres; and to unite any two baronies or portions of baronies, provided the baronies or portions so united did not contain more than Forty thousand Acres: And whereas, by reason of the county of *Fermanagh* being divided in its entire length by the waters of *Lough Erne*, the baronies are divided and intersected by said Lough, to the great inconvenience of the inhabitants as regards the applotment, levy and expenditure of the public money, and the holding of special sessions under the above-named Act; and it is therefore expedient that the Grand Jury of said county of *Fermanagh* be empowered to alter the baronial divisions thereof; BE it Enacted, by The QUEEN's most Excellent MAJESTY, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, THAT it shall and may be lawful for the Grand Jury of the county of *Fermanagh*, by Presentment, to divide any barony or half barony thereof into or more subdivisions, each whereof shall, for all purposes relating to the presenting, raising and levying of money for any matter or thing for which presentment may be lawfully made by Grand Juries, be deemed and taken to be a barony or half barony, as such Grand Jury shall present the same; and it shall be lawful for the Grand Jury of the county of *Fermanagh* to

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to unite any two baronies, or any barony or any portion of any barony or baronies into one for the purpose of this Act, and for all purposes relating to the presenting, raising and levying of money for any matter or thing for which presentment may be lawfully made by Grand Juries in *Ireland*. 5

2. Power to fix time when said Subdivisions shall take effect.

And be it further Enacted, That the Grand Jury of the county of *Fermanagh* shall have power and authority to fix the time from and after which the said division into baronies or half baronies shall take effect, and are hereby required to nominate Committees of Appeal for such intended baronies or half baronies, pursuant to the Act 10 passed in the sixth and seventh year of King WILLIAM the Fourth, intituled, "An Act to consider and amend the several Acts for the uniform Valuation of Lands and Tenements in *Ireland*, and to incorporate certain detached Portions of Counties and Baronies with those Counties and Baronies respectively whereto the same may 15 adjoin, or wherein the same are locally situate," as if the same were actually baronies or half baronies at the time of making the said presentments.

3. Act may be amended.

And be it further Enacted, That this Act may be amended, altered or repealed by any Act or Acts to be passed in this present Session of Parliament.

Fermanagh Baronial Subdivisions.

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(*Prepared and brought in by Mr. Archdall and Lord Viscount Cole.*)

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,* 1 *July* 1837.

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